

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

MINORITIES WELFARE DEPARTMENT - KAZIS ACT, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) – Appointment of Sri Hafiz Syed Ahamad Raza, S/o Syed Shaikshavali, Bhagya Nagar, Ananthapuramu Town as Government Kazi for Municipal Corporation Ananthapuramu in 13th to 24th wards, Ananthapuramu District, initially for a period of ten (10) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only- Notification - Orders - Issued.

MINORITIES WELFARE (IDM-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.42

Dated:22/09/2023

Read:

From the Collector and District Magistrate, Ananthapuramu, Lr.Rc.No.A/111/DMWO/2022, dt:12.01.2023 and 06.08.2023.

ORDER

In the reference read above, the Collector and District Magistrate, Ananthapuramu District has submitted a proposal for appointment of Sri Hafiz Syed Ahamad Raza, S/o Syed Shaikshavali, Ananthapuramu Mandal as Government Kazi for Municipal Corporation Ananthapuramu in 13th to 24th wards, Ananthapuramu District along with the reports of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Ananthapuramu, the Tahsildar, Ananthapuramu, the Inspector Auditor, Ananthapuramu and District Minorities Welfare Officer, Ananthapuramu and stated that Sri Hafiz Syed Ahamad Raza, S/o Syed Shaikshavali, Bagaya Nagar, Ananthapuramu has 5 years experience as Pesh-Imam in Masjid-E-Raza, Bhagya Nagar, Ananthapuramu and performing community programmes conducted by Muslim Community peoples of Ananthapuramu Town. The applicant has completed Hafiz-E-Quaran in Madarasa-Faizan-Raza Educational & Welfare Trust Bengaluru, Karnataka. The Principal Muhammadans of local area have given their consent to appoint him as Government Kazi for Municipal Corporation, Ananthapuramu in 13th to 24th wards. As per 2011 census Minority Population of Ananthapuramu Town is around 58519. There are no Civil and Criminal cases were pending against Sri Hafiz Syed Ahamad Raza, S/o Syed Shaik Shavali, Ananthapuramu District, as per the Police verification certificate issued by Sub-Inspector of Police, I-Town Police Station, Ananthapuramu. Finally, the District Collector, Ananthapuramu District has requested the Government to appoint Sri Hafiz Syed Ahamed Raza, S/o Syed Shaikshavali, Bhagya Nagar, Ananthapuramu Town as Government Kazi for Municipal Corporation Ananthapuramu for 13th to 24th wards, Ananthapuramu District.

2. After careful examination of the proposal of the Collector and District Magistrate, Ananthapuramu District, Government hereby appoint Sri Hafiz Syed Ahamad Raza, S/o Syed Shaikshavali, Bhagya Nagar, Ananthapuramu Town as Government Kazi for Municipal Corporation Ananthapuramu in 13th to 24th wards, Ananthapuramu District, initially for a period of ten (10) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only, as per Section (2) of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) subject to the following conditions:

- 1.The Kazi is answerable to the Government for his actions.
- 2.The appointment of the Kazi can be revoked by the Government on receipt of complaints/verification of records or in extreme cases without notice, if malafide is established as per record.
- 3.The Kazi shall not indulge any illegal activity in the conduct of marriages nor infringe any law established by the Government.
- 4.The Kazi shall not carry out marriage of any minor.
- 5.The Kazi shall not act in any way which is prohibited in Islam or is not permissible in Islam.
- 6.The Kazi shall not conduct contract marriages.

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7. The Kazi or his Naib Kazi shall not perform any marriage, in any area, beyond his specified Jurisdiction.
 8. The Kazi shall charge the specified fee and nothing more than that.
 9. The Kazi shall appoint not more than three (3) Naib Kazis and the names of such Naib Kazis shall be informed to the Government.
 10. Government shall have the right to take disciplinary action against the Kazi, in case of any contravention of Law or of any conditions specified above.
 11. The Kazi shall hand-over the Marriage Record to the Wakf Board, at the end of the tenure
3. If any question arises whether any person has been rightly appointed as Kazi under the above said Section, the decision thereof by the State Government shall be conclusive. The State Government may, if it thinks fit, suspend or remove any Kazi appointed under this Section, who is guilty of any misconduct in the execution of his Office, or who is for a continuous period of six months absent from the local area for which he is appointed, or leaves such local area for the purpose of residing elsewhere, or is declared an insolvent or desires to be discharged from the office, or who refuses or becomes in the opinion of the State Government unfit, or personally incapable to discharge the duties of office.
4. The following Notification shall be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh State Gazette: -

NOTIFICATION

“In exercise of the powers conferred under Section (2) of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880), the Government of Andhra Pradesh, after consulting the Principal Muhammadan residents of local area, hereby appoint Sri Hafiz Syed Ahamad Raza, S/o Syed Shaikshavali, Bhagya Nagar, Ananthapuramu Town as Government Kazi for Municipal Corporation Ananthapuramu in 13th to 24th wards, Ananthapuramu District, initially for a period of ten (10) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only”.

5. The Collector and District Magistrate, Ananthapuramu District / the Chief Executive Officer, A.P. State Waqf Board, Vijayawada shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri Hafiz Syed Ahamad Raza, S/o Syed Shaikshavali,
Bhagya Nagar, Ananthapuramu Town, Ananthapuramu District.
(Through the Collector and District Magistrate, Ananthapuramu District).

The Collector and District Magistrate, Ananthapuramu District.

The Chief Executive Officer, A.P. State Waqf Board, Vijayawada.

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P.S. to Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister (Minorities Welfare),
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.

OSD to Secretary to Government, Minorities Welfare
Department, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.

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